

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF TEXAS  
DALLAS DIVISION**

**SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE  
COMMISSION,**

Plaintiff,

v.

**KENNETH W. CRUMBLEY, JR., AND  
SEDONA OIL & GAS CORP.,**

Defendants.

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Civil Action No. **3:16-CV-172-L**

**ORDER**

Before the court are Receiver Becky McGee’s (“McGee” or “Receiver”) Application for Authority to Employ Accountants (Doc. 21), filed January 29, 2016; and Application for Authority to Employ Munsch Hardt Kopf & Harr, P.C. (Doc. 22), filed January 29, 2016.

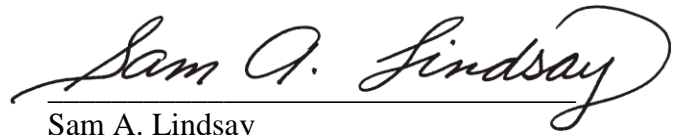
On January 21, 2016, the Securities and Exchange Commission (“SEC” or “Plaintiff”) filed this action against Defendants Kenneth W. Crumbley, Jr. and Sedona Oil & Gas Corporation (“Defendants”) alleging violations of federal securities law. On January 21, 2016, the court granted Plaintiff’s *Ex Parte* Order Appointing Receiver, duly appointing McGee as Receiver for the assets, books, records, and other property of Sedona Oil & Gas Corporation, Kenneth W. Crumbley, Jr., and related entities. Receiver requests the authority to employ the accounting firm LSS&M, LLP to perform forensic and general accounting services as needed. Receiver also requests authority to hire the law firm Munsch Hardt Kopf & Harr, P.C. as her receivership counsel to perform necessary legal services during the course of the Receivership.

After careful review, the court **grants** Receiver’s Application for Authority to Employ Accountants and Application for Authority to Employ Munsch Hardt Kopf & Harr, P.C.

The court **orders** that Receiver is authorized to employ LSS&M, LLP as her accountants in this action. The court **further orders** that neither the lead accountant, nor any other accountant of LSS&M, LLP, may be paid an hourly fee that exceeds \$425 per hour.

The court **orders** that Receiver is authorized to retain and employ Munsch Hardt Kopf & Harr, P.C. as her counsel in this action. The court **further orders** that the shareholder of Munsch Hardt Kopf & Harr, P.C. shall be paid an hourly rate not to exceed \$425 per hour.

**It is so ordered** this 29th day of February, 2016.

  
Sam A. Lindsay  
United States District Judge